



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION: Set Decorator /Associate

Hello and Welcome. Below you will find a two-part application for membership in our society as a Set Decorator or Associate. SET DECORATORS PLEASE NOTE: IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY, AS A SET DECORATOR, A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING OF EITHER THE MOTION PICTURE OR TELEVISION ACADEMIES, YOU NEED ONLY COMPLETE THE FIRST PART. When you have completed your application, return it with a one-time only application fee of \$25.00. Mail to: SDSA 7100 Tujunga Avenue, Suite A, North Hollywood, CA. 91605. Please make checks payable to SDSA. Our annual dues are \$225.00 for Set Decorator members and \$150.00 for Associates. You will be billed upon membership approval. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us in Los Angeles at (818) 255-2425.

Part 1: General Information

Set Decorator ___ Associate ___

Last Name _____ First _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Date of Application _____

Home Phone _____ Fax _____

Cell _____ Email _____

Website _____

Did a specific member invite you or contact you about joining? Who was it?

Professional Organization Affiliations (IATSE, Academy of Motion Picture Arts & Sciences, Academy of Television Arts & Sciences etc.) _____

The SDSA is active in many endeavors, which support both the needs of our community and ourselves. These efforts are staffed entirely by our members, who volunteer both their time and their talents. We strongly encourage everyone to participate. We have included a list of our program committees. Please indicate where you might be willing to serve.

- Educational Outreach
- Events
- Membership
- Revenue Enhancement
- Don Quixote
- Community Outreach

- Future Directions
- MarketPlace
- Set Décor
- Website
- Awards Luncheon
- Bylaws

This completes the first portion of our application. Members of the Motion Picture and Television academies need only submit this page, accompanied by a current resume. All others please proceed to Part 2.

Part 2: Set Decorator Member Applicants

(Associates please proceed to the following page.)

Professional Credits:

All applicants are required to submit a resume, which must meet the experience requirements listed below. **PLEASE LIST ONLY THOSE PRODUCTIONS FOR WHICH YOU ARE CREDITED AS THE SET DECORATOR.** East Coast applicants please note; List only those productions for which you are credited as the Key Set Decorator. All resumes should reflect at least two years experience working exclusively as a set decorator. Your resume may include a combination of film, television, and commercial/music video credits. Each application will be evaluated individually. Based on the strength of your resume, we may request examples of your work before processing your application.

Television: 20 hours composed of single and/or multiple camera formats, with on screen credit as the set decorator.

Film: At least three features, released either to theaters or video/DVD.

Commercials/ Music Videos: A minimum of ten national commercials and/or larger scale music videos.

Professional References:

Please list below five professional references. Two of your references must be members of this organization. You may choose to list either two Set Decorator members or one Set Decorator member and one Business member. Representatives of the membership committee will contact them. The other three references may include any of the following: Production Designers/Art Directors, Producers/UPMS, and Directors.

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That's it! Thanks again for your interest in The SDSA. Once your application has been processed you will be contacted by one of the members of our membership committee

Part 2: Associate Member Applicants

Professional Credits:

We realize that often people who are just beginning their careers in Set Decoration may not have accumulated the required credits for membership in our organization as Set Decorators. Although they may be participating on some projects as the set decorator, they might still be assisting on others. It is for these people that we have created the Associate membership. Although Associate members do not vote in SDSA elections, they enjoy many of the privileges of Set Decorator members. They are listed on our website and membership directory, invited to all events except the brunch, which they may attend at an additional fee, and they receive the SDSA Magazine Set Décor. East Coast Associate members who are also union members are not listed in the I.A.T.S.E. Local 52 roster with an SDSA credit. To apply for Associate membership, please submit a copy of your current resume. We will evaluate each applicant on individual experience. We may request examples of your work before we process your application. If you are accepted as an Associate member, you will be required to reapply, without an additional application fee, when you possess the necessary credits to qualify for membership as a Set Decorator.

Professional References:

Associate Members of the SDSA must be sponsored by three of our members. You may choose to be sponsored by three Set Decorator members or two Set Decorator members and one Sponsor. Representatives of the membership committee will contact them.

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That's it! Thanks again for your interest in the SDSA. Once your application has been processed you will be contacted by one of the members of our membership committee. For more information contact the SDSA office at 818 255 2425 or sdsa@setdecorators.org or visit our website www.setdecorators.org

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